## O.M. MacKillop



## October 21, 2022

**Picture Retake Day –** Picture order forms will be coming home with students on Monday. Picture re-take day will take place on Friday for students who missed picture day or for families who would like to retake their child's picture.

**O.M. MacKillop Pumpkin Patch –** On Wednesday October 26<sup>th</sup>, our Mustang Meadows is turning into a pumpkin patch!!! Every student will have an opportunity to visit the pumpkin patch to pick their own mini pumpkin.

Halloween Reminders - The health and safety of our students remains a top priority. For students who wish to celebrate Halloween at school on Monday October 31<sup>st</sup>, please keep these reminders in mind:

- Costumes should be respectful of others. Symbols or objects representative of a person's culture or religious beliefs, should not be worn as another person's costume, nor should costumes that caricature social identities through stereotyping.
- No replica weapons of any kind are allowed.
- **NO** Halloween masks are to be worn and students may only use single use make-up (no sharing of make-up)
- Students will not be able to use washrooms to change into costumes

To limit personal items being brought to school, costumes should be of simple design (Please consider that should your child come in costume that it should be comfortable, and washroom friendly).

## Upcoming Dates

Oct 24 - Diwali

Oct 28 – Picture Retake Day

Oct 31 – Halloween

Nov 7 – School Council Meeting

Nov 17 and 18 – Parent Teacher Interviews

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